



COMMUNICATION CARD

In the Book of Romans, St. Paul instructs us to "Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn." We have a team of people willing to pray for your request.

Prayer Requests:
Please pray only
Please pray & contact me

Praise Reports:

Look around your pew. Is someone missing? Do you wonder where they are and if they are ok? Please let us know so that we too may give them a call and let them know that they are missed.

If you are a visitor...how did you find us?:

Website:
Walked by:
Someone told me:
Newspaper:
Telephone Directory:
ITouris Kiosk
Other:

(Place this card in either the offering plate or the basket in the rear of the Sanctuary)



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WEEKLY

Sermon: "Stewardship of Time:
A Rhythm of Life"

Scriptures: II Kings 20:1-11; Romans 5:1-8; Luke 12:16-21

When asked what song comes to mind that is related to time, the one most people mention is Time in a Bottle, by Jim Croce. Does anyone remember The Syn-copated Clock? I had to learn that song on the piano when I was a boy. Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is? Do you remember the next line to that song? (Does anybody really care?) There's As Time Goes By. And perhaps one of the most beloved hymns that mentions "time" is: One Day at a Time.

We have spoken of Creation - the beauty of nature and our responsibility to be "stewards" of it. We have spoken of the sacramental life of the church - the cross, baptism, healing, and holy communion - and how Christians need to be stewards of these sacraments because they make Christ present to us and to the world. This week we are looking at time, and asking the question: What does it mean to be a steward of our time?

How much time do you have left in your life? Would you like to know? What difference would it make in terms of what you are doing? Time is easily wasted, often taken for granted, and is the canvass on which we paint the picture of our lives. It is a mystery, a miracle, and to some extent, a commodity that merits more attention than it usually gets. So ... that's what we are talking about today ... if you have the time ...

-Rev. Mark Demers

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Special points of interest:

- Home Group at Parsonage tonight, 6:45pm
Annual Church Conference on Jan. 31 with Potluck

## From Our Church Historian

ANOTHER FAVORITE MINISTER FROM OUR PAST by  
Beverley Reid, Historian



Rev. Fred MacKenzie was our Pastor during the years of the "War to End all Wars", (1941-1946). He was here to see our young men and ladies go off to foreign countries, here to comfort those at home and then here to welcome our heroes back home again. It was a trying time for all.

I especially remember our youth group during those years. During the hour that Rev. MacKenzie was preaching to the adults, we had our own service held in the Chapel. Someone would be the Preacher, others would read the Bible Verses and, of course, we sang lots of hymns. Our favorites were, "THE OLD RUGGED CROSS" and during the holidays, "OH LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM". As I recall, our sermons were short and to the point but our hymns could be heard throughout the Church.

In 1945 Rev. MacKenzie returned and gave the graduation speech at the Lake Placid High School. He had been transferred to Mechanicsville but had kept in contact with that class. He continued his years as Pastor in south Dakota and Wisconsin. A big birthday party had been planned for his ninety birthday, but he went to his rest just a few days before it could be celebrated.

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

*Want To Get Connected?*

This response card is an opportunity for you to communicate with us.

We want to hear from you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's date \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to call \_\_\_\_AM \_\_\_\_PM

- This is my first visit
- I visit occasionally
- Regular Attendee

I'd like to talk to a staff member regarding:

I'd like to learn more about:

- The values that guide Adirondack Community Church
- Small Groups
- Children's Ministries
- Women's Ministries
- Baptism
- Men's Ministries
- Senior Adult Ministries
- Membership
- Volunteering
- Youth Ministry Volunteer
- Missions
- Music Ministries

Today I:

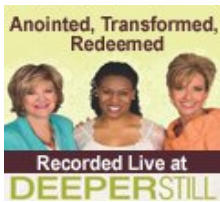
- Committed my life to Christ.
- Renewed my commitment to Christ.

I made a decision to...

## Announcements



Please stop by the back corner of the Sanctuary or information table in Erdman Hall some Sunday for your digital Picture to be taken. We now have a photo directory which can be updated often. Call the church office if you would like a copy.



### Plan NOW to attend this 6 week Bible Study for Women!

#### Anointed, Transformed, Redeemed: A Study of David

Three acclaimed Bible teachers explore their lives and the life of David. You'll laugh with them, cry with them, and learn to love God with them. These authors' messages are divided into three segments, two lessons each.

Each segment focuses on a different stage of David's life:

- As a young man, (by Priscilla Shiver)
- As a middle-aged man (by Beth Moore)
- As a man facing the final third of his life (by Kay Arthur)

### Beginning February 9, 2010 –ending March 16, 2010

To be held on **Tuesdays** in the Conference Room of the Adirondack Community Church

**Group 1 @ 2:00-3:45 pm**

**Group 2 @ 7:00-8:45 pm**

Call or email the church office to register.

AARP Tax-Aide will again be offering FREE Income Tax Preparation to any individual or family whose income is from wages, pensions, social security, investments and/or unemployment.

This service is provided by certified volunteers at the Lake Placid Public Library by appointment from February 1, 2010 to March 23, 2010.

CALL the Library at 523-3200 to sign up! A Tax Counselor will return your call to set up an appointment.

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday –January 31

9:00 AM Traditional Worship Service  
 9:00 AM Adult Bible Study, Todd Room  
 10:00 AM –10:30 AM Fellowship  
 10:30 AM Contemporary Worship Service (Nursery Provided)  
 10:30 AM Children's Church  
 12:00 PM Potluck & Annual Charge Conference  
 5:00 PM Youth Group Bible Study or 9th-12th grade Girls's Group  
 6:45 PM Home Group  
 7:00 PM The Forum (Discussion Group)

**February 1-5**, The Church Secretary is out of the office attending a Conference at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago.

### Tuesday– Feb. 2

6:45 AM Men's Breakfast, Erdman Hall  
 6:00 PM CORE, High School Youth Group  
 6:30 PM Boy Scouts Meeting  
 7:00 PM Knitting Group, 523-3548  
 7:00 PM 20's/30's Group, parsonage  
 8:00 PM PHI, High School Philosophy Group with Dan Saulpaugh and Jason Scull

### Wednesday–Feb. 3

2:30 PM Help needed to escort residents to chapel service at Uihlein. Call 523-9835  
 6:00 PM Worship Team Rehearsal

### Thursday–Feb. 4

3:00 PM 12 Stones Meeting, Youth Room  
 5:30 PM High Peaks Ringers Rehearsal  
 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Com. Meeting, Todd Rm.

#### Thought for the Day:

#### **Exchanging My Plans for God's**

Many are the plans in a man's heart, but it is the LORD's purpose that prevails.

-Proverbs 19:21

## Birthdays



This week:

02/01 Claire Mader, Stephen Doxzon, Addison VanNess  
 02/02 Duncan Segger  
 02/03 Alyson Thompson, Antonio Matos  
 02/04 Linda Alford, Amanda Bird  
 02/05 Autumn Walker

Next Week:

02/07 Bernie Roy  
 02/09 Jayde Kelton  
 02/11 Eddie & Grant Gardner  
 02/12 Linda Miller  
 02/13 Robert Olsen

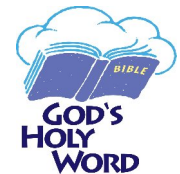


Luke 12:16-21

## Scripture Readings:

### January 31

Jer. 1:4-10  
 Psalm 71:1-6  
 1 Cor. 13:1-13  
 Luke 4:21-30

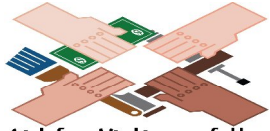


### February 7

Isaiah 6:1-8  
 Psalm 138  
 1 Cor. 15:1-11  
 Luke 5:1-11

Read the Bible every day!

## ACC has raised over \$900 so far for Haiti



### Aid for Victims of the Earthquake in Haiti

Dear Church Family,  
Undoubtedly, the people of Haiti have been in the prayers of all of us this past week.

Please continue to pray for Haiti's devastated residents, for those who have lost loved ones, for those who continue to search for loved ones, for the injured awaiting medical care, and for all those who even now are on their way to serve and to help.

If you are seeking for concrete ways to respond, there are two very important actions we all can take:

1. "Pray with your hands busy" by preparing Health Kits. Health Kits will be received at the Troy Conference office to be forwarded to UMCOR. Contents of a health kit are listed below.\*
2. Give to the relief effort – ACC will forward funds through the Conference Treasurer's office, designated for Haiti - Advance # 418325. (Please note that The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is one of very few organizations receiving an [A+ rating from the American Institute of Philanthropy](#). 100% of funds donated through UMCOR go to the designated disaster situation, providing for an organized, long-term response.)

\* Health kits

UMCOR requests that the following NEW items be placed in a sealed one-gallon plastic bag.

- 1 hand towel (15" x 25" up to 17" x 27". No kitchen towels.
- 1 washcloth
- 1 comb (large and sturdy, not pocket-sized)
- 1 nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toenail clippers)
- 1 bath-size bar of soap (3 oz. and up)
- 1 toothbrush (single brushes only in original wrapper, no child-size brushes)
- 6 adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages

\$1.00 to purchase toothpaste

(NOTE: Toothpaste is purchased in bulk to be added to health kits to ensure that the product does not expire before they are sent.)

Because the emergency kits are carefully planned to make them usable in the greatest number of situations and strict rules govern product entry into international countries, UMCOR requires that the kits contain only the requested items – nothing more.

## Extra Helpings

Hi all - below are the menu offerings for February for the Extra Helpings. Pre-paid orders will be accepted through Tuesday February 9, 2010. Pick up of orders will be at the Lake Placid Baptist Church Feb. 24, 2010 from 9-2pm.

### Extra Helpings Menu: \$21.00

- 2.5 lbs. Beef Bottom Round Roast
- 3 lb. Bag I.Q.F. Boneless Chicken Breast
- 1 lb. Pkg. Sweet Italian Sausage Links
- 1 lb. Pkg. Hamburger
- 1 Bag Red-1 1Bag Seedless Grapes
- 1 Bag Wrapped Iceless Broccoli

### Special # 1: \$12.50

- 5 lb. Block Sliced American Cheese

### Special # 2: \$15.50 (Pastas pre-packed in 1 box)

- 18 oz. Stuffed Shells
- 12 oz. Sun Dried Tomato Stuffed Rigatoni
- 12 oz. Spinach Stuffed Rigatoni
- 13 oz. Large Round Ravioli
- 16 oz. Tri Color Tortellini
- 18 oz. Manicotti
- 13 oz. Pierogie with Potato, Swiss and Jack Cheese
- 2 (1qt.) Casa Visco Spaghetti Sauce

### Special # 3 Meat Box: \$32.00

- 2.5 lbs. Beef Chuck Pot Roast
- 3 lbs. I.Q.F. Boneless /Skinless Chicken Breast
- 3 lbs. Rope Sweet Italian Sausage (2/1.5 lbs)
- 3 lbs. Pepper Steaks (8/6ozs.)
- 2 lbs. Bulk Breakfast Sausage (4/8oz. Rolls)

Call Carol Pinney to order....523-1791

